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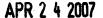
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For discussion purposes in the April 25, 2007 interview, Applicants propose the following amendment to claim 1:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A method for monitoring events generated on at least one computer system, said method comprising the steps of:
  - (a) monitoring a set of event data generated on said at least one system;
  - (b) recording said set of event data in a database;
  - (c) interrogating said database to thereby select alert event data from said set of event data according to a predefined set of rules;
  - (d) reading said alert event data and issuing an appropriate action due to said generated event, said action issued according to said predefined set of rules; and
  - (e) determining said action response based on a weighting assigned to said event, wherein

if said weighting exceeds a predetermined threshold, raising an alert: if said weighting is below said predetermined threshold, applying a heuristic to determine if said event is statistically significant in a historical context of previously generated events. upon said predefined set of rules and based upon a weighting factor applied to recorded historical outcomes for monitored events.

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